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In re Patent Application of

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ELECTRICAL SWITCHING DEVICE



**MAIL STOP Amendment**

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2008, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: